



National Weather Service

Storm Data and Unusual Weather Phenomena



May 2001

Location	Date	Time Local/ Standard	Path Length (Miles)	Path Width (Yards)	Killed	Number of Persons Injured	Estimated Damage Property	Crops	Character of Storm
<u>OHIO, North</u>									
Hancock County									
Mt Cory	07	1904EST			0	0	10K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed a few trees.								
Hancock County									
Mt Cory	07	1912EST			0	0	100K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed several trees and power poles approximately one mile north of Mount Cory. A nearby mobile home was moved three feet off of it's foundation. A roof was also blown off of a barn.								
Hancock County									
Arlington	07	1930EST			0	0			Funnel Cloud
	A funnel cloud was spotted near Arlington. No damage occurred.								
Seneca County									
New Riegel	07	2010EST			0	0			Funnel Cloud
	A funnel cloud was spotted near New Riegel. No damage occurred.								
Geauga County									
Claridon	11	1955EST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed two trees.								
Marion County									
Marion	11	2010EST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed a tree.								
Marion County									
Caledonia	11	2030EST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed one tree.								
Seneca County									
Bascom	15	1950EST			0	0			Hail (1.00)
	Quarter size hail was reported.								
Seneca County									
Bloomville	15	2015EST			0	0			Hail (0.75)
	Dime size hail was reported.								
Lorain County									
Penfield	21	1600EST			0	0	2K		Thunderstorm Wind
	Thunderstorm winds downed a few large tree limbs.								
Lorain County									
Grafton	21	1602EST			0	0			Funnel Cloud
	A funnel cloud was reported over the Grafton Correctional Facility. No damage occurred.								
Lorain County									
La Grange	21	1610EST			0	0			Funnel Cloud
	A funnel cloud was reported just southwest of Lagrange.								
Medina County									
Chatham	21	1625EST 1640EST	7.5	80	0	0	1M		Tornado (F2)

A tornado touched down along New London Eastern Road near Pawnee in southwestern Chatham Township. The tornado then traveled northeast for approximately 7.5 miles before dissipating along State Route 83 about three miles north of Chatham. The damage path was intermittent and approximately 250 feet in width. A new home was completely destroyed near the location of the initial touchdown. A truck nearby was thrown 500 feet by the tornado. A church and parsonage were damaged along Old Mill Road. The tornado then struck an alpaca farm along State Route 83 north of Chatham and destroyed three barns and damaged several other outbuildings. Several garages and a home were damaged elsewhere along the damage path. Over three hundred trees were knocked down and two cars destroyed.



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Holmes County Millersburg	21	1750EST			0	0	2K	Thunderstorm Wind Thunderstorm winds downed two trees.
Medina County Spencer	21	1750EST			0	0	50K	Thunderstorm Wind Thunderstorm winds downed several trees and heavily damaged a barn.
Holmes County Millersburg	21	1757EST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind Thunderstorm winds downed several trees just south of Millersburg.
Summit County Northfield	21	1820EST			0	0		Funnel Cloud A funnel cloud was reported at Northfield Center. No damage was reported.
Stark County Canton	21	1843EST	0.5	100	0	1	450K	Tornado (F1) A tornado touched down briefly on the southwest side of Canton. The tornado first touched down near the intersection of 13th Street and Raff Road where a semi truck was thrown 50 to 100 feet. An occupant inside the truck sustained minor injuries. The tornado remained on the ground for approximately one half mile and blew over seven additional tractor trailers. A roof was torn off of a warehouse and a nearby garage was also damaged. Many trees were knocked down.
Medina County Countywide	21	1845EST 2000EST			0	0		Flash Flood Thunderstorms dumped over two inches of rain in less than an hour causing flooding across the county. State Route 162 near Spencer was under one to two feet of water and had to be closed. Major street flooding was also reported in Chatham, Litchfield and Lodi.
Cuyahoga County North Olmsted	21	1900EST			0	0		Flash Flood Thunderstorms dumped between one and two inches of rain in less than 90 minutes. The heavy rain caused the Rocky River to leave its banks in North Olmsted. A car became stuck in the flood waters and two people in the car had to be rescued by firefighters.
Wyandot County Upper Sandusky	26	1730EST			0	0	30K	Thunderstorm Wind Thunderstorm winds downed two trees and several large tree limbs. One of the trees landed on a house and caused minor structural damage. Fallen tree limbs also damaged two cars.
Huron County Strong's Ridge	26	1830EST			0	0	5K	Thunderstorm Wind Thunderstorm winds downed two large trees and leveled a large tent on the east side of Bellevue or about two miles west of Strong's Ridge.
Wood County North Baltimore	29	1415EST			0	0		Hail (0.75) Dime size hail was reported.
Hancock County Van Buren	29	1425EST			0	0		Hail (0.75) Dime size hail was reported.
Stark County Massillon	29	1530EST			0	1	25K	Lightning A 46 year old male was struck by lightning on the northeast side of Massillon. The man was standing just outside of his house and was taken to a hospital and treated for minor injuries. The house suffered extensive electrical damage from the strike.



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Crawford County

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Thunderstorm Wind

Thunderstorm winds downed two trees.